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## Scholarship presented

George E. and Shirley Robertson of Leawood, Kan., have made a \$50,000 donation to the University Foundation.

The gift was formally presented to Southwestern officials while the Robertsons were in Weatherford for a reunion of the 1947-52 graduating classes of Weatherford High School.

Dr. Bob Brown, Vice President Academic Affairs, said annual income derived from the George Robertson Scholarship gift will be awarded equally to four students for books and tuition. The Robertsons requested that the awards be "work" scholarships rather than "merit" scholarships to reward students for working during their junior and senior years in high

school.

Four students each year will receive the scholarship money for four years. The students must maintain a grade level leading to graduation and enroll in at least 12 hours per fall/spring semester or 6 hours per summer semester.

The Robertsons also requested that the awards be made to graduates of either Weatherford, Clinton, Thomas, Arapaho, Custer City or Butler High Schools.

Robertson was employed in the automobile industry from 1956-70. He also was employed as vice president of Rill International in Kansas City before co-founding Padgett-Thompson, a seminar company, in 1977.

Robertson, along with Harold Finch, started Padgett-

Thompson (the name is a combination of their wives' maiden names) in a Shawnee Mission, Kan., bank's basement office where they shared one desk. Within five years, they had 100 employees, a new office building and a coveted spot in Inc. magazine's list of fastest-growing companies.

The two partners sold the seminar company in 1985 to H & R Block.

Robertson is a native of the Weatherford area. The son of Jack and Ada Robertson, he was born four miles north of Weatherford in 1931. He graduated from Weatherford High School and enrolled at Southwestern in the fall of 1948. He received a bachelor degree from the University of Oklahoma in 1953.



*Shirley and George E. Robertson (left) of Leawood, Kan., recently presented \$50,000 to the Southwestern Oklahoma State University Foundation on the Weatherford campus. Annual income from the gift will be used for "work" scholarships. Accepting the donation on behalf of the Southwestern Foundation are (from left) Dr. Leonard Campbell and Dr. Joe Anna Hibler.*



*Richard and Melda Moore (left) of Altus recently presented a \$11,000 check to the SWOSU Foundation. The presentation was part of a \$25,000 pledge made by the Moore's to the SWOSU Foundation for the Albert Eaton Scholarship Fund. Accepting the check are Dr. Joe Anna Hibler, SWOSU President, and Dr. Bob Brown, SWOSU Vice President for Academic Affairs and the University. Mr. Moore, retired senior vice president of Arkansas-Louisiana Gas Company, is a member of the Southwestern Distinguished Alumni Hall of Fame. Mrs. Moore is the daughter of the late Albert Eaton, a Weatherford pharmacist who was instrumental in establishing and developing the School of Pharmacy at SWOSU.*

## Regents hold hearings

One of the hearings being conducted by the Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education was held at Northwestern Oklahoma State University in Alva on Monday. Two more hearings concerning the regents' proposal to require students to maintain a minimum grade point average to be eligible to participate in collegiate sports and activities are scheduled before the decision is made.

President Joe Anna Hibler represented SWOSU at the meeting. She and two others who recently assumed presidencies of state universities were invited to meet with the regents.

President Hibler reported that during the hearing, two spoke in favor of the proposal and two voiced opposition.

The proposal requires that all students who participate in extra-curricular activities (including sports) maintain a minimum 2.0 cumulative

grade-point average. The proposal also affect those who do not participate in extra-curricular activities as well. Those students would be required to graduate with a minimum 2.0 cumulative grade-point average. The retention level (eligibility for continued enrollment) would be a minimum of 1.6 cumulative grade point average.

Two public hearings are scheduled on Sept. 10 in Tulsa and Sept. 24 in Lawton.

Among the policy considerations regents will be seeking public input on are

- Admission of athletes through an existing alternative admissions category

- suspension of students who fail to achieve or maintain academic standards and readmission of suspended students

- admission standards for students 23 years of age or older who are entering college for the first time.

The Al Harris Library will be closed from August 1, 3 p.m. to August 20, 8 a.m. Students who will be needing transcripts during this period will want to be sure they have no library fines or transcript holds before August 1. The registrar and the Business Office will be unable to clear library fines and holds.

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# Graduate assistant position still open

As part of a three-year, \$195,000 federal assistance grant awarded in 1988 to the Department of Elementary/Special Education at SWOSU, applications are now being taken for one remaining graduate assistant position beginning in the Fall 1990.

The position is a general program graduate assistant. Complete application with letter, resume and references should be sent to Dr. Bill David, Department of Elementary/Special Education, SWOSU, 100 Campus Drive, Weatherford, OK 73096

Primary duties of the general program graduate assistant are to assist in monitoring the school's special education preschool and to develop modules in communicating with parents, communicating with regular classroom teachers, behavior management and Native American education and practicum.



The successful candidate must have his/her Oklahoma teacher certificate in one or more of the special education, elementary education and early childhood areas and must be pursuing a graduate degree in special education at Southwestern.

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## Graduates added to list

Additions to the SWOSU summer graduation list have been announced. Summer school graduates participated in the May graduation exercises.

Students completing their degree requirements include

OKLAHOMA: ANADARKO- Nancy E. Weathers, M.Ed. in Reading; CACHE - Ronald M. Baughman, M.Ed in Administration;

CLINTON - Albert E. Friedrich, M.Ed. in Administration, Louis Mendoza, M.Ed. in Administration; HINTON - Michael L. Meriweather, M.Ed. in Physical Education; LAWTON - Cheryl Red Elk, M.Ed. in Special Education; MUSKOGEE - Leland A. Huff, M.Ed. in Music; OKLAHOMA CITY - Suzanne M. Rowe, BA in Sociology; WALTERS - Ross A. Burchfield, M.Ed. in Administration;

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## Summer Westview Available

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Westview is a quarterly regional magazine devoted to the history, nostalgia and roots of Western Oklahoma, and is published at SWOSU.

The theme of the summer issue is "Western Oklahoma's Diverse Voices."

Dr. Helen Maxson, a SWOSU English professor, contributes an article entitled "The Newcomer." Students in the SWOSU advertising layout classes, under the direction of Steven Cost, provided the design and graphic art.

Single copies of *Westview* are \$3; annual subscriptions are \$8. Copies and subscriptions may be obtained by writing Dan Dill, SWOSU, 100 Campus Drive, Weatherford, OK 73096.

## Chorus performs at Fine Arts Members' voices number forty from far and wide

The summer campus/community chorus recently presented its final concert of the summer semester on Tuesday, July 24, in the lobby of the Fine Arts Center.

This was the first summer that the university chorus has been open to members from the community and region. This year's chorus numbered 40 voices and includes singers from a wide range of the state.

The concert featured a variety of musical styles and in-

cluded: "Praise Ye the Lord," by Tye; "Laudete Dominum," by Mozart; "Auction Cries," by Biggs; and a medley of songs from the musical "Man of La Mancha."

Soprano Juanita Wham of Elk City and tenor Mark Cain of Oklahoma City were featured soloists. Accompanist for the chorus was Joey Martin. The choir was conducted by Dr. Charles Chapman, chairman of music.

Members of the group in-

clude: Debbie Hooper, Anadarko; Howard Crabtree, Beaver; Kathy Daughtery, Lookeba; Gary Shults, Seiling; Pat Brown, Buena Vista, Colo.; Marilyn Shockey, Leedey; Eleanor Moon, Mooreland; Mark Cain, Oklahoma City; Jim Shane, Mustang; Jason Armstrong, Altus; Juanita Wham, Elk City; Ben Whitener, Cordell; Richard Balzer, Clinton; Elloween Bennet, Hydro; and Carolyn Bennet, Hydro.

Also members of the choir are Weatherford's Tamme Garrison, Keith Garrison, Dolores Davidson, Kristi Holt, Kristi Hill, Marcia Matz, Ray Harris, Dr. Allen Lane, Barbara Lane, Jo Hill, Darlys Larson, Laura Purdom, Barbara Messmer, Laura Clemens, Jennifer Chapman, Cheri Lewis, Dr. Don McGuirk, Judith Gilligan, John Gerber, Moush Tourian, Genevieve Koch, Lynne Groening and Trevelyn Riggle.

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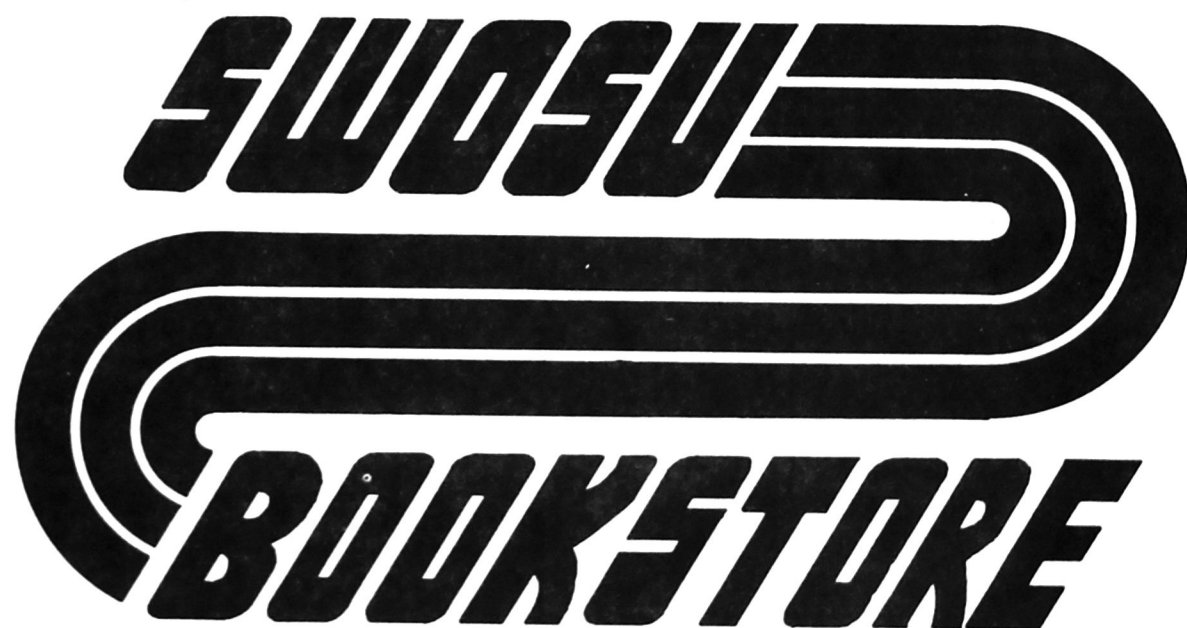
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national competitions were Sally Young, El Reno, third in Finance; Rita Deevers, Cyril, fourth in Machine Transcription; Cary Hill, Shawnee, sixth in Accounting II. Also competing was Lisa Foley, Arapaho in Administrative

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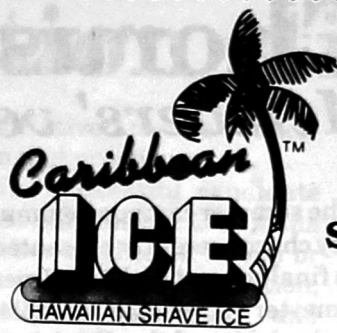
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Summer 1990

Monday, July 30, 1990

8:00-9:50 a.m.  
10:00-11:50 a.m.  
12:30-2:20 p.m.

All classes meeting at 8:00 a.m.  
All classes meeting at 9:10 a.m.  
All classes meeting at 12:40 p.m.

Tuesday, July 31, 1990

8:00-9:50 a.m.  
10:00-11:50 a.m.

All classes meeting at 11:30 a.m.  
All classes meeting at 10:20 a.m.

### INFORMATION

Final grades are due by 5:00 p.m., Tuesday, July 31, in the Registrar's Office. For those classes with finals scheduled on Tuesday, an extension until 9:00 a.m., Wednesday, is provided.

### NO EARLY FINALS

Give a student unable to meet the regular examination an "I" (Incomplete). He will have the next full semester in which he is enrolled to complete his work.

### PLEASE DO NOT DEVIATE FROM THIS SCHEDULE

The final examination schedule has been prepared in a manner which spreads the examinations over a two-day period for a large majority of both students and faculty.

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